GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Service- Revenue Dept –Kurnool District - Allegation of Corruption against Sri K.V. Raghava Reddy , Village Revenue Officer, Nandivargam village, Banaganapalli Mandal, Kurnool District (u/s) – Prosecution sanctioned – A.O requested for regularization of suspension period as the ACB Court Kurnool has acquitted him from the case – Further action dropped and suspension period treated as ON DUTY as per FR 54 B(4)/54A(3) – Orders –Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1002 Dated:14-10-2015

Read the following:

1) From the D.G, ACB Rc.No.26/RCT-KUR/09-S6, Dt.17.08.2009.
2) Govt. Memo No 5050/Vig.II(1)/2009 dated 21.01.2011.
3) Representation of Sri K.V. Raghava Reddy, Village Revenue Officer, Nandivargam village, Banaganapalli Mandal, Kurnool District dated 13.08.2015 along with the orders of Special Judge for A.C.B cases Kurnool dated 28.08.2014 in CC 18/2013.
4) Govt. Memo No 5050/Vig.III(2)/2009 Dated 13.08.2015.
5) From DG ACB Lr. No RC. No26/RCT-KUR/2009-S6 dated 25.08.2015

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In the reference 1st cited, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad has informed that, Sri N. Venkateswarlu, while working as Tahsildar, Banaganapalli (M) was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau authorities on 30.1.09 for demanding and accepting a bribe of Rs.30,000/- through Sri K.V.Raghava Reddy, Village Revenue Officer, Nandivargam village from the complainant for doing official favour to issue no objection certificates in respect of land in S.No.672 to an extent of 23.61 acres for granting quarry lease. The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau has recommended to prosecute Sri N.Venkateswarlu, formerly Tahsildar, Banaganeplli Mandal and Sri K.V. Raghava Reddy, Village Revenue Officer, Nandivaram village in the Court of Law, besides initiating departmental action against the Tahsildar.

2. Government after careful examination of the matter have entrusted the case of Sri N. Venkateshwarlu, formerly Tahsidar, Banaganepalle Mandal to Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings vide Govt. Memo No 5050/Vig.II(1)/2009 dt.23.3.2010 and directed the collector Kurnool to issue prosecution sanction order in respect of Sri K.V. Raghava Reddy, Village Revenue Officer, Nandivaram village in the reference 2nd read above, accordingly the District collector has issued prosecution sanction order.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, Sri K.V. Raghava Reddy Village Revenue Officer while enclosing a copy of court orders, he has made representation to Government that the Anti Corruption Bureau court has acquitted him from the case and requested for regularization of suspension period.

4. The Special Judge for Anti Corruption Bureau cases Kurnool in its orders dated 28.08.2014 in CC 18/2013 has ordered as follows:

> "Prosecution as such, failed to prove its case beyond doubt against accused officer. So he is found not guilty and is acquitted U/Sec. 248(1) Cr.P.C., for an offence punishable U/Sec.12 of P.C. Act, 1988."

5. In the reference 4th read above, Government while enclosing representation of Sri K.V. Raghava Reddy, Village Revenue Officer, Nandivargam village, Banaganapalli Mandal, Kurnool District along with the orders of Special Judge for Anti Corruption Bureau cases Kurnool dated 28.08.2014 in CC 18/2013 has requested the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau to offer his remarks on the orders of Special Judge for Anti Corruption Bureau cases Kurnool dated 28.08.2014 in CC 18/2013. In the reference 5th read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad has informed that there are no grounds to prefer an appeal against the acquittal judgment and also requested to communicate the Government orders to the Bureau.

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6. Government after careful examination of the matter has observed that no official work is pending with the Accused Officer Sri K.V Raghava Reddy Village Revenue Officer at the time of trap by the Anti Corruption Bureau officials, further the Accused Officer received the amount as per the instruction of Tahsildar only, but he has not known whether the amount was bribe for a part thereof, therefore he was acquitted by the Anti Corruption Bureau court as prosecution failed to prove its case beyond doubt against the Accused Officer. Therefore, the Government have decided to drop further action against Sri K.V Raghava Reddy Village Revenue Officer, Nandivargam village, Banaganapalli Mandal Kurnool District and regularize the suspension period as ON DUTY as per FR 54 B(4)/54 A(3).

7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to drop further action against Sri K.V Raghava Reddy Village Revenue Officer, Nandivargam village, Banaganapalli Mandal Kurnool District and to regularize the suspension period as ON DUTY as per FR 54 B(4)/54 A(3).

8. The District Collector, Kurnool is requested to take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.C. SHARMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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The District Collector Kurnool
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